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UNIONS: WE WILL FIGHT JOB LOSSES

THANET council staff could be taking industrial action by the end of the year as they fight for their jobs in the face of budget cuts.

Steve Albon is branch secretary for Unison, representing about 400 of the local authority's 700 workers.

He told Yourthanet: "We're expecting that once the Government's October spending review is made known, there will be a cut in Thanet council's budget of 25 to 40 per cent.

"That could mean the loss of 100 to 150 jobs." Accordingly, Mr Albon,

■ BY DAVE MAIRS

whose is Thanet council's principal enforcement officer in planning, has been talking with union representatives across the country, including some from the GMB and Unite.

He said: "We're not militant, but it's likely we'll fight for our jobs. It'll probably be either at the end of this year or the beginning of next.

"I've told members that if someone walked into their home and took their possessions, would they stand there and let them do it? We won't let [Prime Minister] David Cameron do

that to us. The way it's looking, there will be a strike."

Despite the gloomy outlook, Mr Albon reckons Thanet's parlous economic situation could, ironically, provide a lifeline for the council.

"We've got two of the most deprived wards in the UK - Margate Central and Cliftonville West," he said.

"The Government must realise that this area more than most needs a strong, well-staffed local authority."

Allied to Mr Albon's concern over possible job cuts is a stark awareness that opinion is often negative towards civil servants.

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PARISA ROCKS IN TV CONTEST

A Ramsgate teenager has reached the final four in a competition to get the chance to record her own music video.

Parisa Tarjomani, 16, is one the stars of My Camp Rock 2, a spin-off from the original Camp Rock film starring the Jonas Brothers.

She will receive extra training from expert mentors throughout the Disney Channel talent show and says her goal is to be a professional singer when she's older.

As part of the filming she recently played a private concert for friends and family at Margate's Winter Gardens.

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Delivery shake-up plans lead to fear for Royal Mail jobs

■ BY TOM BETTS

THE prospect of a closure of the Margate Royal Mail sorting office closing is being debated at Thanet council.

Although the mail provider say there are no plans to close the office, it is set to launch a big shake-up of its delivery operations.

A new mail centre will likely be opened to deal with the county's mail.

Some fear it could lead to job losses locally, and concern is mounting that the Margate sorting office, and its staff, could be affected.

Worried

On Tuesday, July 20, the council's overview and scrutiny panel decided that this was an issue that they wanted to look more closely at, as members were worried about the prospect of job losses and the quality of service.

They also voiced concerns that, if these proposals go ahead, the nearest sorting office to Margate would be located at Maidstone.

The panel is to ask Royal Mail to send a representative to its next meeting in September to explain the proposals and answer questions.

Mike Harrison, chairman of the overview and scrutiny panel, said: "I'm keen for the council's overview and scrutiny panel to look at issues outside of the council, focusing on things that affect the wider community."

"It seems that the issue of what will happen to the Royal Mail sorting office falls into that category perfectly and members agreed."

"I look forward to hearing more from the Royal Mail at our next meeting about what they're proposing and the impact it will have on our area."

If a new mail centre is built, then existing mail centres will have to be vacated, and jobs will go.

The county's four mail centres are all now more than 25 years old.

A Royal Mail spokesman said: "There is no decision to close Margate Delivery Office. We are carrying out a review of our processing and delivery operations across Kent and are proposing to build a new mail centre for Kent."

"We are currently talking to our unions and our people about this proposal. No decisions have been made and there would not be any changes until at least 2012."

Other issues set to be examined during 2010/11 include the development of a Master Plan for the Port of Ramsgate and Royal Harbour Marina.

Members wanted to see a progress report from this Working Party at the Panel's next meeting in September, with an update on where the project was.

How seaweed that washes up on the isle's beaches is dealt with and dispose of, the Thanet Works employment scheme and the council's management of the Coach House in Northdown Park are among other issues that will be subject to further scrutiny in future meetings.



ARTEFACT: Model of French frigate at Quex House

Museum on board for history series

THE Powell Cotton Museum is joining in the BBC's History of the World series, by showing a selection of diverse objects from the collections at Quex Park.

The British Museum and BBC radio and internet series has been telling the whole of human history by looking at 100 objects from the museum's vast collections that relate to important historical events and people.

A Powell Cotton Museum spokesman said: "On August 17 we launch our History of the World Gallery with an artefact roadshow."

"It's free and if you have an object that is manmade and has an interesting link to human history, bring it along to our experts from the British Museum who will try to tell you more about your object."

"There is a chance it will be professionally photographed and uploaded to the History of the World website."

A model ship made by French prisoner of war is one exhibit on show in Birchington. The model of a French frigate is made of bone, horse hair and metal pins.

It is believed that the model belonged to John Powell Powell (1769-1749) who was a collector of Napoleonic memorabilia, as well as being a keen yachtsman.

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Open-day celebration at homes for elderly

A NEW extra care scheme for older people in Broadstairs was opened last week.

Named after the Anglo-Saxon name for Broadstairs, Bradstow Court was developed by Housing 21 in partnership with Kent County Council and Thanet District Council.

Representatives of the various partners involved in the project, including Housing 21, Kent County Council, Thanet council, Compass Group, Denne Construction and DMA Maintenance, gathered with the new tenants to celebrate the opening.

The scheme apartments for independent living along with 24 hour care and support services.

The development is part of the £72 million Better Homes Active Lives project to deliver more homes across the county for older people.



Join mayor for cream tea at famed Walpole

THE Mayor and Mayoress of Margate, Michael and Shirley Tomlinson, are hosting an afternoon cream tea at the Walpole Bay Hotel on Wednesday, August 4, at 2.30pm.

Tickets costs £12 per person, and include a talk on the History of the Hotel and Museum, and a chance to wander around the exhibits before afternoon tea.

All proceeds will go the Mayor of Margate's Charity Fund.

For further information or tickets, please phone The Mayor's Parlour on 01843 221704.

Flower competition's inspection at square

JUDGES from the Southern Water-sponsored South and South East In Bloom contest have been running the rule over the flora and blooms at Spencer Square in Ramsgate.

Everyone involved in Spencer Square Residents' Association Gardening Group in Ramsgate was keeping their green fingers crossed when the judges of the prestigious competition arrived.

They were looking to see how it fared in the 'It's Your Neighbourhood' category.

Garden organiser Lyn Baines, Thanet parks officer Barry Griffin and others showed judges around as they cast their professional eye over the colour, choice of plants and any special features.

The results will be announced in September.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Hospital parking fees up for staff and patients

■ BY TOM BETTS

STAFF and visitors to the Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother Hospital must cough up even more to park their cars in future.

Charges are going up at the start of August for visitors, while staff charges will increase a month later, at the beginning of September.

The NHS Eastern and Coastal Kent Primary Care Trust executives agreed the rise on July 7.

To park in the car park for up to two hours will cost visitors £2, which is the minimum fee.

Previously you could park for up to three hours for £1.70.

To park for two to three hours will cost £3, for up to four hours £4 and for up to six hours it will be £5.

The charge for six to 24 hours will hit £8.

Meanwhile, the price of a weekly ticket will double, from £6 to £12.

Parking permits for those who work on site will also rise from Wednesday, September 1.

During peak hours a peak hours permit for up to 20 hours a week will rise to £79.38, from £52.92. The following year the same permit will go up again to £119.07, and could cost £178.61 in 2012/2013 if the trust's current proposals are adopted.

Permits for less than 20 hours, which currently cost £26.46, will rise to £52.88 in August, going up again to £79.31 in 2011/2012, and possibly to £132.19 in 2012/2013.

A trust spokesman defended the decision to increase the fares.

He said: "Car parks cost money to build, staff and maintain, and charges mean that patient



HIGHER COSTS: Staff and patients travelling to the QEOM hospital in Margate by car will have to pay more for parking

care budgets are not used for car parking.

He said that if staff charges did not exist, the money to pay for the facility would otherwise come from patient budget money which has been provided by the taxpayer.

Some staff are known to be unhappy that it will cost them even more to park and have also expressed annoyance that bus timetables do not match up with shift patterns, leaving them little alternative but to drive to work.

The spokesman said that the trust would be discussing transport options with local author-

ities and bus companies to try to "improve public transportation to and from our hospital sites" as well as reviewing hopper bus transport provision to "maximise effectiveness".

He said: "Our staff are always willing to talk to anyone with a problem such as this to explore possible solutions."

"The trust provides a free transport system for patients who are medically unable to transport themselves to and from hospital and any excess parking income helps subsidise this expensive patient support."

'Council job cuts will affect you all'

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He said: "The vast majority of my members work very hard. It can be difficult to resolve issues – we can get caught between feuding neighbours."

"I've had my life threatened twice and twice had my car vandalised outside my home. That cost me £1,000."

The image of lucrative deals being handed out across the sector is dismissed by Mr Albon.

"This gold-plated pension stuff is a myth," he said. "If you're a high-ranking officer at Kent County Council or an MP, maybe. But a person who's been at Thanet council for 40 years will be lucky to get £4,000 a year."

"Many staff here are women. They might have had kids or might work part-time. Their pensions will be negligible."

Mr Albon also fears his members could now see their pension funds slashed.

"People don't understand," he said. "We've been paying into these through deferred salary, yet we might end up not getting what we are owed."

The union man wants makes to make clear how job cuts at Thanet council would affect us all.

"If we weren't here, these shopkeepers in Margate wouldn't be here. We're the only people spending in this town."

And there was a scathing summary of the Government's idea of the Big Society, in which volunteers would carry out much of the work done by civil servants.

"When people call the council and there's no one to speak to, who will you go to? Your volunteer?"

Asked about the prospect of strike action, a Thanet council official said: "The council has no comment to make on possible decisions that unions may or may not make on national action."

"We are going to work with staff and unions on the expected cuts we are likely to have to make following the emergency budget."

Road-safety schemes axed

BUDGET cuts imposed by Kent County Council will hit a raft of schemes aimed at improving road safety and transport networks.

Funding for five local transport policy programmes has been pulled, and 24 schemes have been cancelled across the county.

KCC has cut £4.1 million from its road improvements budget due to tighter spending constraints.

The announcement was made on Monday, July 12.

A casualty reduction scheme at Garlinge Primary School near Margate will now be shelved.

The £111,000 project would have seen measures to improve safety, such as pedestrian crossings, traffic islands, roadside markings or warning signs, outside the school.

Funding for the Thanet Quality Bus Partnership has also been axed, saving of £100,000, and phase five of the Dane Valley cycle routes, in Westgate-on-Sea, has been cancelled, with a saving of £170,000.

Planned measures to stop vehicles hitting buildings in Littlebourne High Street have been scrapped.

A spokesman for the authority said all schemes were judged against the four criteria of whether they improve road safety, cut congestion, have started or have significant exterior funding.

Parisa is hoping for Camp Rock stardom

SEASIDE songstress Parisa Tarjomani has set her sights on the big time after reaching the final four of a Disney Channel talent search.

The 16-year-old from Ramsgate is one of the stars of My Camp Rock 2 – a spin-off of the original Camp Rock film starring teen heart-throbs the Jonas Brothers.

If she is victorious she will get to record her own music video.

Parisa, whose mother Sophia runs the Regency Productions performing arts school, will receive extra training from a host of expert mentors throughout the course of the show.

She said: "I love to sing and dance and I practice every day."

"My goal is to become a professional singer when I'm older, so I hope my experience on the show will get me one step closer to my dream."

"I'm looking forward to working with all the mentors. It's going to be so much fun; I don't think I'll want it to end."

Parisa, who also plays in goal for Hugin Vikings' girls' football team, is already the singer-songwriter of a four-piece band called Kassette Kids.

As part of the filming for My Camp Rock 2, she performed a private gig for friends and family at Margate Winter Gardens on Thursday.



Disney Channel general manager Boel Ferguson said: "Disney Channel has a fantastic heritage in discovering the next big thing."

"My Camp Rock 2 aims to set a young Brit on the road to stardom."

Keep checking the website at www.disney.co.uk/camprock2 to find out when My Camp Rock 2 hits television screens this summer.

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GREEN GRASS OF HOME: The site is a haven for wildlife – and people – but there are growing fears for its future

Residents are ready to fight for wild haven

A PIECE of land on the seafront at Westbrook is the latest battleground between Thanet council and members of the public.

Campaigners want the land to remain just as it is, as a scarce habitat for plants, butterflies, birds and insects, but a developer has floated an idea to put eco-pods or beach huts for holidaymakers on the land.

To try to combat any plans that could include development, an application to obtain Village Green Status has been put in by a group calling themselves the WASPS (Westbrook Against Selling Promenade Site).

Kent County Council will decide if the application is approved or denied.

Objection

Thanet council is adamant that there are no immediate plans to sell the site, part of which forms a Site of Special Scientific Interest, and that there are no "specific plans" for it, but it did appear on the authority's last asset-disposal list.

Officers have lodged an official objection to the Village Green Status application.

Thanet council bought the land in 1923.

It has covenants on it, but not ones that may prevent certain kinds of development that could be seen as for 'seaside use'.

Campaigner Tony Sykes said: "This is an attractive piece of land and it is well used. In the years since the grassland has been allowed to grow a bit more, the wildlife here

■ BY TOM BETTS

has flourished."

"I think the potential for development is minimal because it is at risk of flooding and because it was used as a landfill site.

"Any development would also be heavily restricted by environmental issues and restrictions by Natural England."

"Thanet has less than half the recommended open spaces it needs, according to English Nature. Destroying open spaces affects local residents' health and well-being.

"The council could be making a big mistake."

Mr Sykes believes that Thanet council has misrepresented the site.

He believes pictures of the site that appeared in a copy of the council's Thanet Matters magazine for May/June 2008 were not a true representation of the land, and that the description first given out, which was called "land at Barnes Avenue", was also misleading for the public.

A Thanet council spokeswoman said: "A number of comments were raised about the description and, as a result, the description has been altered to 'land adjacent to car park off Royal Esplanade, Westbrook'.

"The disposal of the site was extensively publicised and subject to public consultation. This included location plans.

"The question of description is subjective and we have been happy to change this. There has never been an ulterior motive."

M&S chooses Macmillan for challenge

STAFF at the Thanet branch of Marks & Spencer have chosen Macmillan Cancer Support as one of the charities for the store's 100-day challenge.

The workers at the Westwood Cross branch hope to raise £1,500 for the cancer charity by September.

M&S stores across the country are asked to nominate a chosen charity in-store and raise money as a team.

Fundraising began on June 1 and more charity events will be held at the store.

Laura Kennedy, fundraising manager at Macmillan, said: "Marks & Spencer's support will help raise the funds Macmillan

needs to provide its services and increase awareness of who we are and what we do."

Trudy Roberts, chair of the Marks & Spencer Charity Committee, said: "We were only too pleased to lend our support to Macmillan. They provide such valuable support to people affected by cancer. The 100 Day Challenge ends on the September 8 and we will be organising lots of events such as a cake week, a summer party and a karaoke night.

"If you are going to Westwood Cross, please pop in to see the team. Macmillan collection tins are also available for anyone wishing to make a donation in-store."

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Academy status popular

A RAFT of isle schools have registered interest in becoming academies.

The Academies Bill was introduced when the new Government came into power and was passed on Monday night.

It aims to enable more schools to become academies which the Department for Education believes will give them the freedoms and flexibilities they need to continue to drive up standards.

Of the Thanet schools that received an "outstanding" grade during their last Ofsted inspections, six have officially expressed interest in the plans.

They are Callis Grange Nursery and Infant School and Dane Court Grammar School in Broadstairs; The King Ethelbert School in Birchington; and Chatham House Grammar School for Boys and Holy Trinity Church of England Primary, both in Ramsgate. Sandwich Technology School has also registered.

Police volunteers brew up

VOLUNTEERS working with Kent Police in Thanet were treated to afternoon tea to thank them for their hard work.

District commander Ch Insp Mitchell Fox welcomed the group of 54 volunteers currently working in departments across East Kent to the event at Margate Police Station.

Volunteer co-ordinator Sue Boorman said: "We are very lucky to have the individuals we have working with us."

For information on volunteering, contact Sue Boorman on 01843 222236 or email susan.boorman@kent.pnn.police.uk.

Man robbed in high street

POLICE are appealing for information following a report of a robbery in Broadstairs.

It occurred between 11.20pm and 11.45pm on Monday, July 12, in the high street.

A 31-year-old man was approached by a man who threatened him and demanded money.

The suspect made off with £5 in cash after hitting the 31-year-old with a glass bottle.

The suspect is a white male, aged 25 to 28, 6ft tall, stocky with short light-brown hair.

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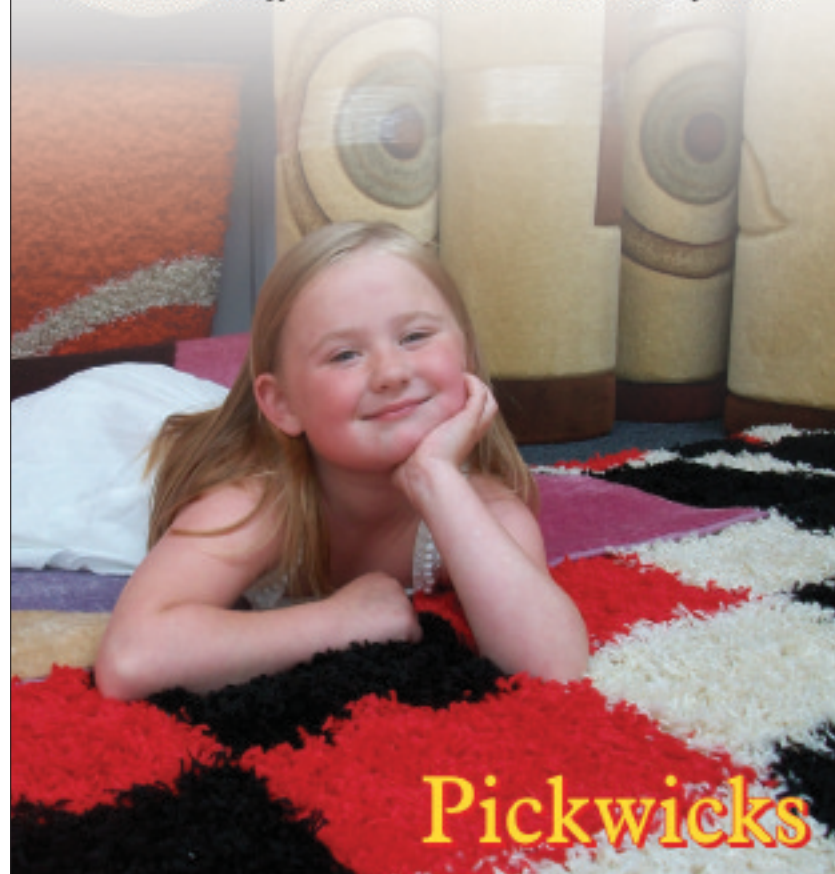
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Council webcasts stay despite poor number of 'hits'

■ BY TOM BETTS

WEBCASTS of certain Thanet council meetings look set to continue, despite less than impressive viewing figures.

The authority's overview and scrutiny committee has recommended the practice continue.

The pilot scheme, which has already seen three council meetings webcast, should continue into 2011.

This idea will now go to the next full council meeting in October, for members to make a final decision.

During the pilot, a total of 225 people logged on to watch the first meeting, which discussed the council's budget in February.

They watched the meeting for an average of almost seven and a half minutes.

The next meeting to be broadcast took place in April and was watched by 53 people for an average of around three minutes.

This meeting covers items as diverse as planning obligations and developer contributions, licensing of sexual entertainment venues, members' allowance schemes and polling places and polling stations.

Decisions

The third meeting broadcast in May was the annual council meeting, where decisions are made about who will be the council's leader, chairman and who will sit on the council's various committees.

It attracted 75 views, with people watching for an average of just over three minutes.

Members decided to continue with the trial, due to the relatively low cost of providing the service,

which works out to approximately £250 per transmission.

Mike Harrison, chairman of the overview and scrutiny panel, said: "I think it's fair to say that all members of the panel were disappointed that the pilot didn't generate more interest.

"It's a shame the number of website hits were so low for the three meetings that were webcast, as the issues being discussed were important to local people.

"Perhaps just as disappointing was the amount of time that people spent watching the meetings, with the average time as low as just three minutes, which barely allows for debate to get going.

"I think this is something that we should continue with.

"It's important for the council to be transparent and open to public scrutiny and webcasting our meetings is one way of achieving that."

MP Sandys picked for climate-change forum

LAURA Sandys has been elected to the Energy and Climate Change Select Committee.

Thanet South's new MP said she feels privileged to be a member, and aims to carry on promoting the isle's role in the renewable energy sector.

She will be one of 14 members who examine the expenditure, administration and policy of the Department of Energy and Climate Change.

She said: "I was very privileged to have been elected onto the Energy and Climate Change Select Committee last week. It will be examining and scrutinising the work of the department and I am sure we will support a much stronger response to the energy insecurity that has been the legacy of the last 13 years."

Sandys, who was elected on May 6, said: "I have been involved with many aspects of energy policy, not least promoting Thanet's role in the renewable sector which I believe is a very important opportunity for Kent.

"It will also be important to look at the impacts of climate change whether this be an increase in flooding, diminishment of agricultural land, food price rises, or increase in migration.

"The policies we need to put in place will be inter-departmental, national and international, and we will need to ensure that our national interest is our priority. I have been already working



RESPONSIBILITY: Laura Sandys says she will promote Thanet's role in the energy industry

closely with the Environment Agency, on local issues regarding climate change not least the flooding issues related to Sandwich.

"It is a big responsibility to sit on a committee and hope to be able to use my experience to ensure that in the future we can benefit from energy security and put in place the measures to diminish the impact of climate change in the future."

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Q What is Brief Encounters?

A Brief Encounters is a new store for the modern gentleman who wishes to remain sexy, stylish and at the forefront of the latest fashions and trends.

We aim to satisfy a wide range of needs for both the gay and straight market. Brief Encounters stocks T-shirts and shoes from the Ed Hardy range at amazing prices.

We have an extensive range of über-cool boxers and briefs in fresh designs full of attitude for the trendy modern male. We also have books, magazines, novelty gifts and cards, R18 DVDs and adult toys especially for the gay market.

Q What do you do at the shop during a typical day?

A We are open from 10am to 6pm, so a typical day involves serving our customers, providing assistance and information on our fashion wear and products and keeping the shop stocked, clean and tidy.

Often we're a point of information for the public, in particular for events, clubs and other goings-on within the local and surrounding area for the gay community.

Q What do you think of the gay scene in Thanet?

A I think it's fantastic, especially for the gay community, that there is a shop like this in Margate. There are so many gay people in Thanet and sadly there isn't much here for

many of them. There used to be a few gay bars and nightclubs in the area, most of which have shut down.

All that's left is Sundowners, which is great but tends to have an older clientele. Of course there is Pride every summer – which is such a success – but it is only once a year.

I am 27 and my friends and I like to go clubbing where there's a good dance-floor, a modern lively venue with a DJ playing the latest tunes. We need a gay nightclub like that in Thanet.

The nearest thing we have is Girls And boYs – a gay club-night but with a mixed crowd – but it's in Canterbury and costs a fortune to get home afterwards. We should have a modern gay club in Thanet and they should make it open to all.

In other areas many straight people go to gay clubs because it's a good laugh and has a less judgemental atmosphere. People can just dance like a loony and not care.

Q Do you think the 'pink pound' is something that the Isle should actively chase, or will it grow on its own?

A In terms of the pink pound in Thanet, obviously everywhere has felt the effects of the recession and that affects the pink pound, too. Slowly things are going to get better as there is lots of investment in the area, what with the Turner gallery.

As long as that is a success, it will trickle down into the other areas of the local economy. We're not in the 70s any more. A seaside town

has to offer more than just arcades and beaches now. Thanet seems to be stuck in a time-war in this way, so I think we need to embrace change and move forward.

Q Why did you choose to open the shop in Margate, rather than elsewhere?

A Margate is a good location for Brief Encounters. There are no shops like it in this area and as far as I know in the whole of Kent. You have to go to Brighton or London for a similar shop.

The location is right on the sea-front, easy to find, it's light, modern and open. It's good that we aren't like some other adult stores that are hidden down some dodgy alleyway. We are just a shop, plain and simple.

Anything of an adult nature is not visible in the window and is partitioned separately from the fashion and lifestyle side of the store.

Q What do you want to achieve at Brief Encounters?

A Aside from making Brief Encounters a successful business, I think we aim to be a touchstone for the gay community, providing information on events like Thanet Pride, which will be an exciting event for us this year.

Brief Encounters is one of the main sponsors and we want it to be the biggest and best year so far. We will be open for business and will also be having a stall outside, so please come and check us out.



Steven Poole from the Brief Encounters store in Marine Drive, Margate, talks to Tom Betts about selling boxers and briefs to the modern male, Thanet's vibrant gay scene and his hopes for its future

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Online venture bid to boost business on the high street

■ BY TOM BETTS

A WEBSITE that encourages people to shop locally has been launched by a Broadstairs mum.

ShopOnYourDoorstep.com is the concept of Sarah Denning.

The site enables users to shop online, but buying the goods from local businesses.

Sarah said: "We must accept that internet shopping is a convenient way to shop.

"However, with the recent recession hitting the high street hard, it has become apparent that shoppers need to support their high street and their local economy."

With this in mind, the creation of a virtual department store online seemed an obvious step.

"The demise of the traditional high street has been well documented over the last few years" said Sarah.

"Traders have had to endure the challenge from out-of-town supermarkets and retail parks and the creation of the sub-regional shopping centre at Westwood Cross.

"In addition, Broadstairs High Street has been blocked off for much of the last 18 months because of roadworks carried out by Kent County Council.

"This has had a direct impact on the income of many shops and sadly some have even been forced to close for good."

Convenience

The site was launched on Thursday, July 1, and will focus mainly on Broadstairs for the time being. So far 25 stores and shops have signed up to offer their wares online.

In 2009, 69 per cent of the UK population shopped on the internet, according to figures released recently, and the mum of four believes her site will combine the convenience of internet shopping with the

commitment to support your local community.

Sarah said: "The aim of the website is simple – it is not to replace traditional shopping but to encourage people who use the internet for shopping to purchase from local suppliers.

"Although our website is aimed at local shoppers, it will expose local products to the whole of the internet, and hopefully become a much-needed extra revenue stream to the hard-pressed traders.

"Goods can either be posted or collected from store and discussions are under way to have a 'pick-up' point for purchased goods housed at a retailer with later opening hours to facilitate the internet shopper and to avoid the dreaded car parking charges.

"Internet shopping is clearly here to stay but by using our site you are able to maintain the ease and convenience of internet shopping whilst also supporting their local High Street and economy."



WHEN IN ROME: Christ Church pupils dressed like Romans at festival held at the Dover Museum

Festival helps pupils learn what the Romans did for us

ENTHRALLED youngsters wound back the hands of time when they took part in the annual Roman Festival last month.

Pupils from Ramsgate's Christ Church Primary school were invited along to the activity day, which encouraged them all to turn up in fancy-dress.

Children from the 18 schools turned up in fancy dress as either Romans or Celts at the Dover Museum.

More than 750 pupils from Kent and Surrey descended on the town to participate in the annual event,

which ran from Tuesday, June 15, to Friday, June 18.

The activities on offer included a craft workshop, where the kids got a chance to make a Roman style oil lamp, and some drama workshops.

The pupils were also taught about the Roman healthcare system.

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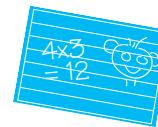
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BREAK TIME

A slice of the action



PROMISING chefs at St Peter's junior school are cooking up a treat as part of a nationwide scheme.

The Let's Get Cooking initiative is funded by the Lottery and encourages schools to form their own clubs for children, families and communities.

During the three-year programme, pupils will take part in activities and be part of three community projects, including a food festival in Broadstairs in September and an afternoon tea dance at Victoria Gardens.

Stacey Moore, who runs the project at the school with Linda Ward, said: "The idea is to increase pupils' food preparation and cooking skills, with the accent on healthy eating."

More than all Wight

PUPILS from Newington primary school will be exploring the Isle of Wight this summer.

Head-teacher Cliff Stokes said: "Residential trips are so important. This will be the first time many have been away from home and they will experience independence and personal growth, as well as having fun."

The island off the Hampshire coast is the destination for a party of 11-year-olds and staff, who will be based at Sandown.

The visit will include trips to towns, the seaside and landmark attractions such as The Needles.



A TRUE PRO: Annette McKnight is retiring from Hartsdown Technology College

Fond farewell to 'heartbeat' of Hartsdown

RESPECTED and popular assistant principal Annette McKnight is retiring from Hartsdown Technology College this summer.

■ BY TOM BETTS

Recently honoured in the Kent Teacher of the Year awards, her "expertise, commitment, enthusiasm and friendship will be greatly missed by students and staff", said principal Andy Somers.

Mrs McKnight has special responsibilities for overseeing pastoral welfare, child-protection issues and the extended-schools programme at the college.

Tireless

Mr Somers said: "Her contribution is far beyond her professional remit – she is one of the main heartbeats of our college."

"She is a true professional in every way. At the core of everything she does is the welfare of our students and she works tirelessly to ensure they are looked after and safe."

Mrs McKnight has been actively involved in the college, gaining healthy-school accreditation and safe-schools status, both of which required substantial evidence-based criteria to be met.

She said: "This college plays an incredibly important role because if children are not cared for and looked after they won't achieve. If we do not give them the emotional tools to manage their day, they cannot access the curriculum."

"For many students school is the only place they feel safe – and this college supports what they need. If we are fair, they respond by doing the best they can."

"Hartsdown is not bound by the walls of its buildings any more. It has developed and evolved and reaches into the community and into families to encourage the raising of aspirations."

Mrs McKnight will be a lead practitioner for the Secondary Schools and Academies Trust, working to help set up community links involving adult and family learning. She will also be an independent consultant in extended-schools provision.

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Fire-damaged building made safe

A GRADE II-listed building has been made safe, after the fabric of the building had deteriorated badly.

The property at 47-48 Hawley Square, Margate, was damaged by fire in May 2008 and Thanet council's building-control team secured the remaining structure using support scaffolding.

A council spokeswoman said: "The conservation and building control teams tried to get the cooperation of the building's owner to restore the property, but with no success.

"During this time, the council has repeatedly secured the site to prevent unauthorised access and has been monitoring the stability of what remains of the structure.

"Recent checks showed that the condition of the gable wall, adjacent to the public footpath at the rear of the building, had deteriorated. As there was a danger to the public,

emergency measures were put in place, with the footpath closed, so that the dangerous wall and the chimney could be removed. This has now been completed and the footpath has reopened, without the scaffolding.

"The building-control team will monitor the structure and will continue its attempts to work with the owner to restore it."

Simon Moores, Thanet council's cabinet member for customer services and regulatory services, said: "I'm sure anyone who uses the footpath behind this property will be familiar with the scaffolding that's been there for some time.

"It will come as a welcome relief to finally see that it's gone; this is thanks to the work of our building-control team, who acted quickly and decisively as soon as they realised the condition of this property presented a danger to the public."



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YOUR LETTERS

One rule for airport, another for the rest

In response to last week's story headlined 'Mini-motor fans told to buzz off' – Thanet District Council only acts when it suits.

A few enthusiasts use a public space, annoy a few residents and the might of the council comes down on them.

Compare this with Manston airport-owner Infratil. Unhappy with being able to operate planes up to the size of a 747 jumbo 24/7 over the whole of Ramsgate without restriction, it feels it necessary to ask the council for even greater freedom.

Good to see the same standards being applied across the board.

Steve Higgins
Ramsgate

Our sick society and guns are a lethal mix

Derek Packham calls for the relaxation of gun laws (Yourblogger, July 14). This would be an egregious folly. Much of the UK's population is afflicted with conditions affecting mental health.

The causes of this are extremely complex and varied. Urban overcrowding, family breakdown, years of substandard education, youth unemployment and a media culture of violence are just a small selection of problems contributing towards the disintegration of our nation's psychological well-being.

If, through a misconceived liberalisation of the law, firearms become easier to obtain, more mentally-unstable people will have instant access to deadly weapons.

All it takes is for a switch to flick from sane to insane in these citizens' troubled brains, as happened with Derrick Bird and Raoul Moat, and they'll be reaching for the guns they legally possess and store in their homes so they can inflict bloody retribution on whoever they psychotically perceive are the architects of their misfortune.

Sick societies and guns simply don't mix, as the US and Britain are discovering with a terrible cost to innocent human life.

I would also like to add that the argument that homeowners need firearms for protection and that they are a good deterrent against violent intruders is an unsubstantiated myth perpetuated by the gun manufacturers and their vociferous, influential lobby groups.

Clive Wilkins-Oppler
Canterbury



yourblogger

Gary Wright asks if it will make any difference should public-sector employees strike over cuts



I WASN'T shocked to learn that union activists at local councils are threatening strike action to show their anger as the cuts in public spending become clear.

After years of retiring at 60 and being assured of a job for life, all at the ratepayers' expense (yes, I know it's 'council-taxpayers', but we all understand 'ratepayers'), suddenly our council chums have to account for how they are spending our cash.

So, batten down the hatches and prepare for them to demonstrate their outrage outside your town hall next year. But what are they protesting about exactly?

Well, in a nutshell they're a bit cross that those people who have worked in the private sector all their lives will no longer be relied upon to fork out – getting on for a couple of grand a month – for the privilege of having their bins emptied every couple of weeks.

Planning applications have fallen dramatically since the credit squeeze, so I expect borough and district planning departments to be shedding jobs by the dozen. No point striking – that's not going to make more people build extensions.

Finance departments might think they're pretty safe as careful management of what little cash they have will be a vital skill. Remember how KCC managed to 'invest' £50 million of our money in an Icelandic bank.

Then they lost in the crash because someone was on holiday and missed a warning email... or something.

If there is a story in your area you think we should be covering, contact the editor, Dave Mairs, on 01303 817022, or email him on the details above.

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What a bash! And what a QEQM hit

Heartfelt thanks are extended to all my many friends who supported the raffle this year at Brenda's 37th Annual Bash and to those who so kindly gave donations.

The final total was £120 for the QEQM Hospital's cancer appeal.

This will go towards purchasing a digital mammography machine in conjunction with EKUBS.

Many thanks, too, to all those who again so kindly provided raffle prizes.

It was a super day out to Eltham Palace and I look forward to welcoming you all again to next year's on my 38th bash.

God bless you all.

Brenda Sotos
Margate

He'd only complain about the pigeons

I don't know where Tom Betts originates from, but his attitude is typical of many Londoners who move to the seaside and then moan about seagulls.

I love hearing these characterful birds – they add so much to the atmosphere of the place.

As for moaning Londoners, clear off back to the city. It's where you belong – and I think you know it.

Joe Alexander
Ramsgate



Damn and blast but no slaughter, Tom

With regard to last week's blog, I would like to point out to gull-hater Tom Betts that seagulls have webbed feet, not talons.

In any case – if he is so worried by them, why doesn't he take the shotgun he is pictured with two pages later and blow them away?

Paul Hughes
Margate

• Editor's note: It is a criminal offence to harm gulls of any species in this country unless a licence is obtained. Tom Betts would be well advised to keep his armoury well away from the herring gulls that distress him so much.

Bang to rights, with a side-order of fries

A word of warning for the 'hunter-gatherer' Tom Betts. His stance in

the picture last week showing him aiming a shotgun is not one to be recommended.

He has, correctly, got the stock of the weapon close in to his shoulders, but the angle of his head and eyes is wrong.

His head needs to be upright much more to enable him to sight the gun along its barrel.

As pictured, he would not be aiming correctly so would not be able to hunt successfully – nor subsequently gather. He'd best be off to McDonald's.

Mark Walton
Ramsgate

All Betts are off in human v gull wars

I recently watched as a seagull demonstrated its contempt for the human race by dive-bombing a person waiting for a bus in Folkestone, swooping away with a paper bag full of chips.

It then devoured the snack on top of the bus-shelter. So, like last week's blogger Tom Betts, I too am aware of the threat posed by these birds.

Maybe the human versus gull wars have already begun.

Alan Jones
Dover



Great show, shame about all the traffic

Having attended the Kent County Show, I would like to say what an excellent event it was.

However, I have one complaint – traffic management could be better.

Long queues made getting out of the car park a frustrating experience and on Detling Hill things were no better as all traffic went up to the A2 roundabout – and at least half then doubled back on itself heading for Maidstone.

There were many sliproads between carriageways, all blocked off with cones or police motorcycles.

Why not open these up at periods when traffic is exceptionally heavy, allowing cars to get on to the other carriageway and head off home?

Jonathan Holme
by email

Rising demand for charity pet-care

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Claire Bowles
PDSA

Who else spotted Broadstairs UFO?

On the evening of Sunday, July 25, at about 9pm, I saw what I can only assume to be a small balloon powered by a gas-burner over Broadstairs.

It seemed to be travelling quite heading east out over Kingsgate.

I live in Bradstow Way in Broadstairs and the 'UFO' was visible for two minutes, time for me to call my wife, who also saw it.

It appeared round and dark but with a bright red light underneath it – hence my assumption that it was a hot-air balloon.

I would be interested to learn of any other sightings and indeed to discover the object's identity.

This is my first UFO sighting and I understand why people believe in extra-terrestrial encounters.

Adrian Scott
Broadstairs



Historic painting expected to sell for thousands at auction

A VALUABLE painting by a Ramsgate-born artist is going up for auction and is likely to be sold for thousands.

The Francis Holman picture, above, is expected to fetch at least £50,000 when it goes up for sale with Bonhams in London.

The painting, which shows the crucial maritime battle of St Kitts in 1782, goes under the hammer on Tuesday, September 28, at the New Bond Street auctioneers.

It depicts the action between the fleets of Rear Admiral Sir Samuel Hood and the French Comte de Grasse in Frigate Bay, St Kitts, on January 26, 1782.

The British, under the command of Admiral Hood, were defending the valuable West Indian sugar island St Kitts against the French during the American War of Independence.

After two days of fighting, the leader of the French fleet, de Comte, retired. Three weeks later, however, St Kitts fell into French hands.

The painting will be sold as part of The Marine Sale at Bonhams and could fetch as much as £70,000, say experts.

■ BY TOM BETTS

Francis Holman was a famous maritime painter who was born into a shipping family in 1729, in St Laurence, Ramsgate, which clearly influenced his art.

His father was a master mariner and his grandfather a cooper, while his brother, Captain John Holman, was in charge of the family shipping business.

He was baptised in St Laurence Church in November 1729 and was the second of six children. His work features pictures of ships, shipyards, and, during the American War of Independence, the Royal Navy and sea battles. He died in Wapping on November 29, 1784, and his brother John brought his body back to Ramsgate, where he was buried in the family vault.

Holman was under-appreciated in his time, but his works have since become critically acclaimed and are now highly sought.

Many of Holman's works form parts of collections such as that at the National Maritime Museum in Greenwich.

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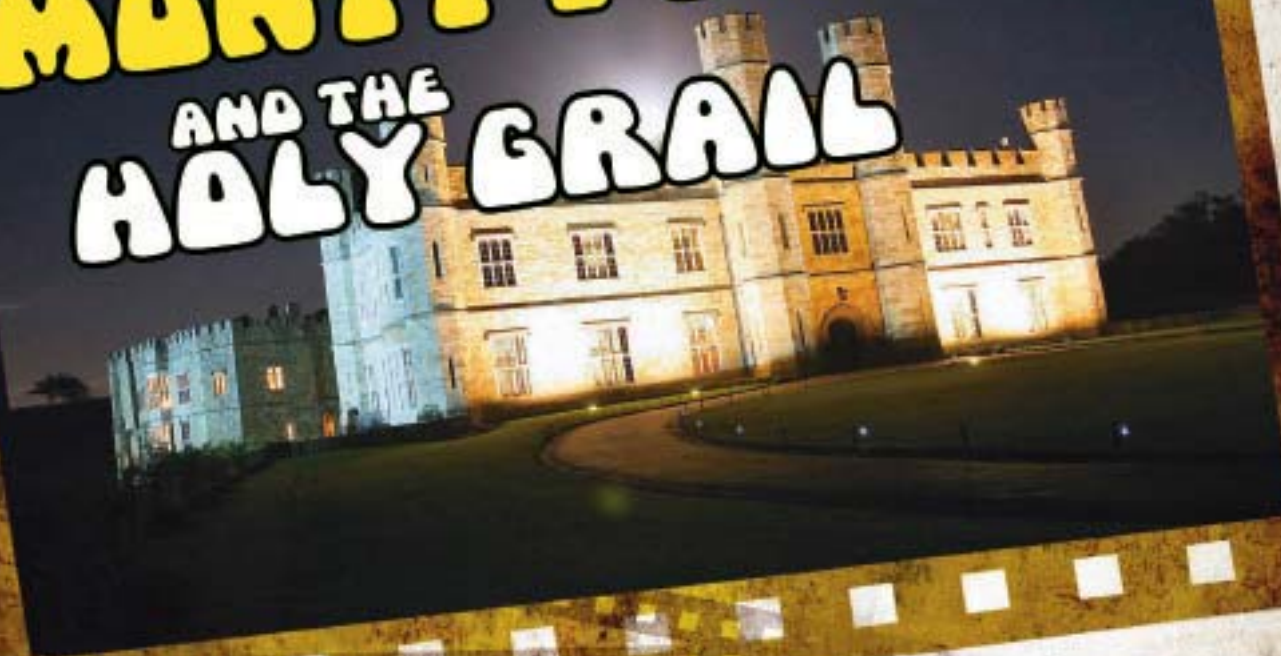
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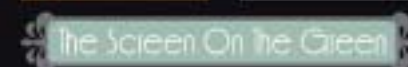
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Summer barbecues are being held and a new range of ice creams are available

The 100-seater restaurant has meals starting from £5.95 and three conference rooms can hold up to 40 delegates each.

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DAY & NIGHT

Prom at the Pavilion

FORMER D'Oyly Carte soprano Hannah Kirk joins the Thanet Male Voice Choir for their Prom by the Sea.

The concert at Broadstairs Pavilion starts at 7.30pm tonight and will finish in time for guests to watch the firework display over Viking Bay.

Admission is free, but audience members should arrive early to secure a seat.

A bite of the Big Apple

AN ASPIRING writer heads to 1920s New York in the one-man show, Small Town to Big Apple.

Greg Chapman plays a young man looking for a story in the show at the Tom Thumb Theatre in Cliftonville at 7.30pm on Friday and Saturday.

Tickets cost £8/£6. To book call 01843 221791.

Ancient healing sounds

ANCESTRAL music from African villages will be performed at Quarterhouse in Folkestone tonight.

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Triple bill of comedy

A TRIO of comedians will be going for giggles at the Ramada Dover when The Comedy Club visits on Thursday.

Kevin McCarthy will be acting as MC, joined by Zoe Lyons and Stephen Grant. The over-18s show starts at 9pm. Tickets cost £12 for the comedy only or £20 including a three-course meal. To book call 01304 872843.

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Take tea with mayor

ENJOY afternoon cream tea with the Mayor and Mayoress of Margate at the Walpole Bay Hotel next Wednesday.

Cllrs Michael and Shirley Tomlinson will host the event at 2.30pm to raise money for the Mayor of Margate's Charity Fund. Tickets cost £12 and include a talk on the history of the hotel. To book call 01843 221704.

Joe king of the art of silliness

JOE PASQUALE

Friday, August 6, Winter Gardens, Margate



THE King of the Jungle is ready to drive you wild with his latest show full of comedy and calamities.

Joe Pasquale continues his personal quest to make holidaymakers laugh by taking his new show to seaside towns around the country. Just Joe is his latest collection of comic capers, slightly duff magic and Pasquale's trademark silliness, designed to get audiences giggling, whatever the British summer weather.

Last year's fast-paced show featured a motorised toilet, so fans can look forward to another evening of wacky props and goofy gags. Pasquale's latest gadgets can be as unpredictable as his humour and could be one reason why the comedian has won an increasing student following.

Born in Essex, Pasquale harboured early desires to become an actor, but he could not afford to go to drama school. So he tried to get into show business another way, by becoming a bingo caller and a holiday camp entertainer. He rose up the ranks to become entertainment manager at two resorts and eventually discovered his gift for comedy.

By the time Pasquale appeared on the TV talent show New Faces in 1987, he had also worked in the civil service, a Ford factory and Smithfields meat market. Achieving second place on the show meant that work as a comedian started to come in, liberating Pasquale from some of his less enjoyable jobs.

When Pasquale really hit the big time, his first video sold in huge numbers and he became a popular television personality. His distinctive high-pitched voice has only added to his endearing persona and along with his comedy work, he also became a successful game show host.

Although he was already a popular and well-known comic, Pasquale's career received a further boost when he appeared on the ITV reality show I'm a Celebrity...Get Me Out of Here! in 2004.

The bookies' favourite from the start, Pasquale did not disappoint viewers with his charming nature and good sense of humour, which even held during the most tortuous Bush Tucker tasks. While other celebrities complained about the primitive jungle conditions, Pasquale's quips consistently won the viewers' votes.

In the final stages, he saw off competition from former royal butler Paul Burrell to be crowned King of the Jungle.

His experiences in the jungle had more far-reaching consequences than anyone might have expected. One of the Bush Tucker Trials involved dangling from a helicopter in mid-air, while trying to obtain stars to win meals for his fellow contestants. This hair-raising ordeal actually helped Pasquale overcome his fear of flying and he went on to gain his pilot's licence



after taking lessons at Rochester Airport.

Despite his enormous success as a comedian, Pasquale has still managed to follow his dream of becoming an actor. His stage projects have included numerous pantomimes and he appeared in the West End production of The Producers.

His unforgettable voice has also been heard in animations such as Hollywood movie

Horton Hears A Who! with Jim Carrey and CBBC's Frankenstein's Cat. Pasquale has also appeared as the Scarecrow in a touring production of The Wizard of Oz.

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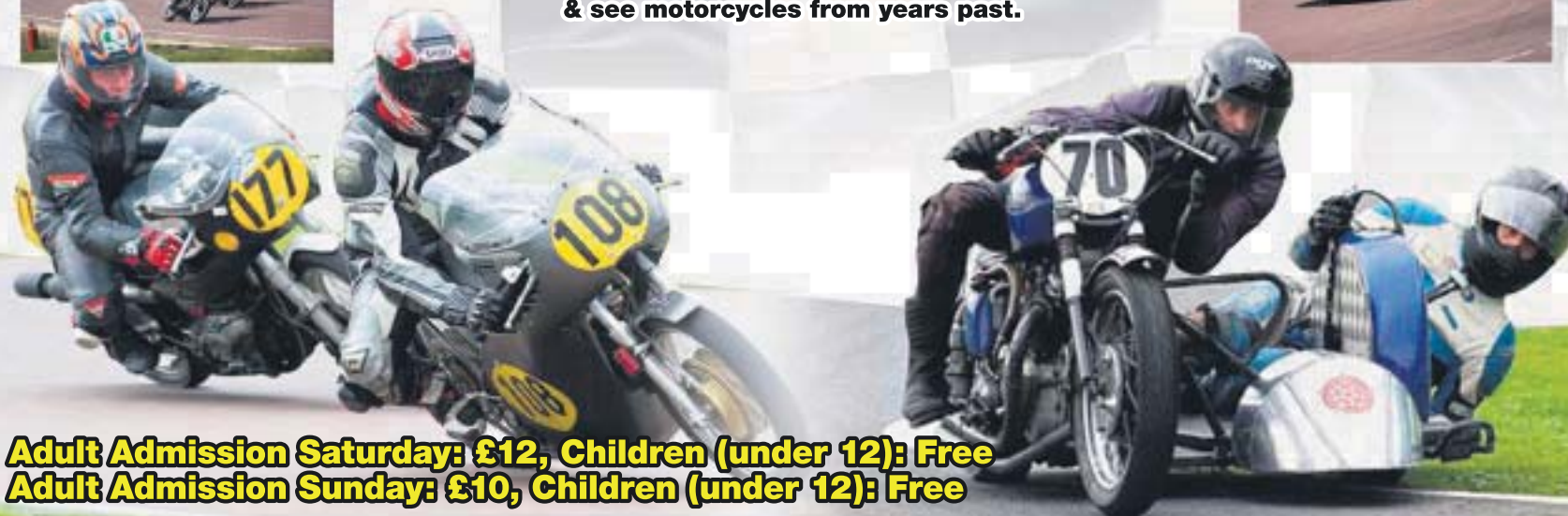
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Learn to wield a sword by joining the Knight School on August 11 and 25. The knight and his unarmed squire will demonstrate the combat techniques of the day and expose a few myths about medieval armour.

The special events are included in the admission price of £7.75 for adults, £5.75 for children and £6.75 for concessions.

For more information call 01227 784600 or see the website at www.canterburytales.org.uk.

WIDOWER'S HOUSES

Thursday, July 29, Saturday, July 31, and Sunday, August 1
Memorial Theatre, Broadstairs

MONEY and principles do not always mix in George Bernard Shaw's sharp satire, *Widowers' Houses*.

The first play in the Sarah Thorne Summer Repertory Season explores the Victorian money-making system and the ways in which money can interfere with love and romance. Directed by Michael Friend, the play has been performed for nearly 120 years.

Harry Trench is a doctor with a good background but only a small income. However, his life seems to be taking a positive turn when he falls in love with the beautiful Blanche while on holiday in Germany and they become engaged.

On their return to London, Harry is horrified to discover that Blanche's father is the landlord of slum housing. He orders Blanche to refuse her father's money once they are married, but his principles are soon put to the test when he discovers where his own meagre income is coming from.

Tickets cost £10.50 for Sarah Thorne Theatre Club members and £12.50 for non-members, who must book at least 24 hours in advance, call 0845 262 6263 or email info@sarahthorne-theatreclub.co.uk.



ALICE IN WONDERLAND

Friday and Saturday, July 30-31, Dragon House, Smarden

DISAPPEAR down the rabbit hole and spend the evening in Wonderland with the Smarden Players.

The group presents an adaptation of Lewis Carroll's classic stories, *Alice in Wonderland* and *Alice Through the Looking Glass*, performed outdoors in the gardens of Dragon House. With a 50ft stage, impressive set design and special effects, the Smarden Players present a magical show that will enchant audiences of all ages.

Some of the most exciting elements of the show include the 'rabbit hole' entrance which guides audiences to their seats and the mysterious, disappearing Cheshire Cat. The voice of the cat is provided by former Meridian TV reporter, Jeff Moody.

Derek Colley's adaptation of the much-loved stories includes many of Wonderland's most popular residents. For this production, a slightly older Alice will guide the audience through the story and there are plenty of surprises in store.

Tickets cost £7/£5 on Friday and £7 on Saturday. To avoid disappointment, buy tickets in advance from the Post Office or the Flying Horse in Smarden or alternatively call 01233 770557.



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Saturday, July 31, and Sunday, August 1
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EXPERIENCE the drama of a castle under attack when history comes to life at Dover Castle this weekend.

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MARGATE CARNIVAL SOUL WEEKEND

Saturday, July 31, and Sunday, August 1, The Piazza, Margate

CHILL out and relax as Margate Carnival Soul Weekend returns with some truly great performers.

The carnival will also feature an array of colourful family rides, along with a tasty Caribbean barbecue.

Sunday's music programme will be headlined by West Coast Soul Stars, who perform ahead of the release of their new single, *Show Me Love*, featuring Eli and Janine. In September, they will be supporting 80s funk band Chic at the Indigo2, so soul fans should not miss the chance to see these rising stars in action.

The award-winning R&B artist Junior Giscombe will also be performing, along with former Hi Tension member, David Joseph. Giscombe was a pop force during the 80s when he had hits with *Mama Used To Say* and *Too Late*. He duetted with Kim Wilde on *Another Step* (*Closer To You*) and went on to write songs for artists like Sheena Easton.

The free entertainment starts at 3pm on Saturday and 2pm on Sunday. The carnival procession starts from Westgate at 3pm on Sunday. For more details visit www.westcoastlive.co.uk.



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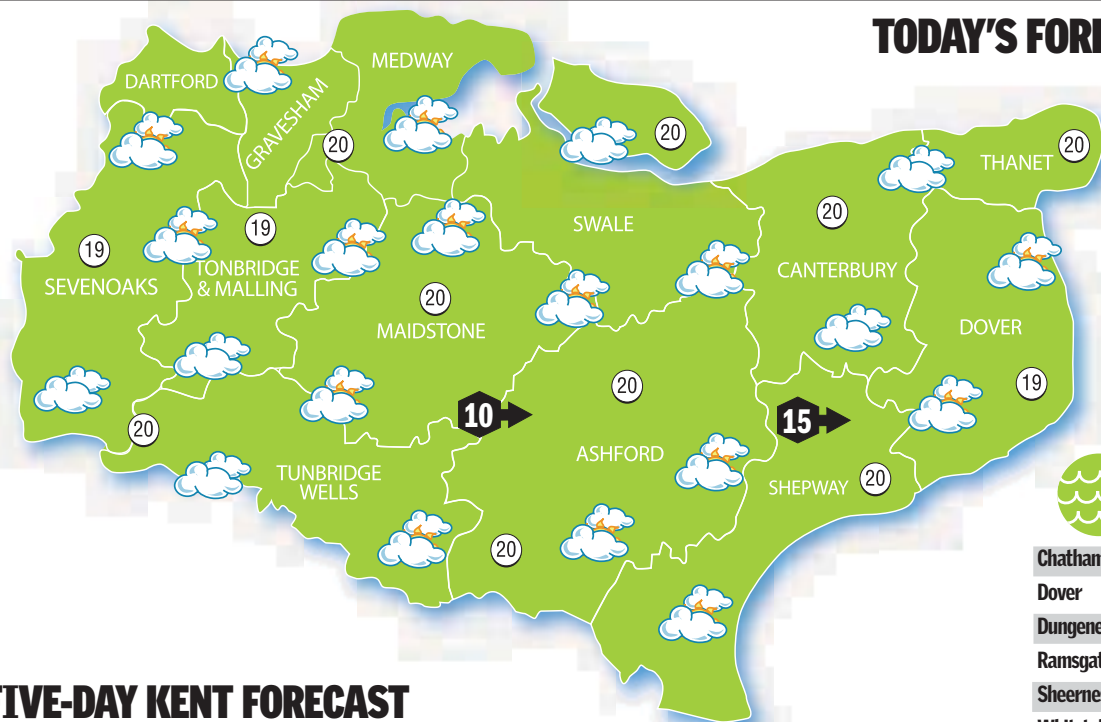


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Location	Day	Time	Height
Chatham	Saturday	4:38pm	5.8m
Dover	Saturday	2:54pm	6.3m
Dungeness	Saturday	2:53pm	7.3m
Ramsgate	Saturday	3:24pm	4.8m
Sheerness	Saturday	4:28pm	5.5m
Whitstable	Saturday	4:39pm	5.2m
Chatham	Sunday	5:11pm	5.6m
Dover	Sunday	3:21pm	6.2m
Dungeness	Sunday	3:26pm	7.2m
Ramsgate	Sunday	3:51pm	4.7m
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After years of bit-part roles Justin proves he's not on The Rebound

■ BY SUSAN GRIFFIN

TWELVE years ago he was playing roles that didn't even appear on the movie's closing credits. But now, Justin Bartha – aka the anonymous clubgoer in the 1998 disco film 54 – has reached leading man status with his latest movie *The Rebound*.

Along the way there have been hits (*National Treasure*, *The Hangover*) and misses (*Gigli*), but 32-year-old Bartha says he feels “extremely grateful for all the great things that have happened”.

The first of his family to forge a career in acting, started out in high-school plays and doing community theatre, before training at university in New York only to find himself “bumming around trying to get a job”.

That first job was behind the camera, as a production assistant on *Analyze This* in 1999. Later that year, he made his professional acting debut in a short film called *Tag*. A few quiet years followed before he joined the then couple-du-jour Ben Affleck and Jennifer Lopez in the universally panned *Gigli* in 2003. Then a year later, he finally got his big break as the comedic computer whiz Riley Poole in the *National Treasure* films.

In romantic comedy *The Rebound* Bartha plays Aram Finkelstein, a directionless 24-year-old who becomes a nanny for Sandy, the perfect suburban wife, played by Catherine Zeta Jones, who's just discovered her husband has been having an affair. The pair embark on a relationship that goes swimmingly until reality rears its ugly head.

“It's a really great romantic comedy and something everyone can enjoy,” says Bartha.

“It's a New York love story where Catherine and myself have just got out of bad relationships but find it's the wrong time to explore theirs because of their ages and where they



THE SENSITIVE TYPE: Justin Bartha plays children's nanny Aram Finkelstein in the romantic comedy *The Rebound*

are in their life.”

Written and directed by Julianne Moore's husband Bart Freundlich, Aram's optimistic and romantic stance on life makes him a refreshingly sympathetic male character.

“Aram is a nice guy and there's some role reversal in the movie,” says Bartha. “You're so used to seeing men in movies being aggressive idiots who are only looking for sex. Aram is a sensitive man and that's really interesting. He's almost too sensitive.”

But, despite Bartha's eagerness, it was to be a few years before he was cast.

Director Freundlich has since explained that

he needed to explore a wide range of people to be sure Bartha was the right choice – and Bartha readily admits he thought he wouldn't get the role after hearing Catherine Zeta Jones had been cast as Sandy.

As for working with our home-grown star, Bartha's nothing short of gushing. “She's fantastic. Who doesn't like her?”

It's lucky they got along, as the pair share an intimate moment on a sofa before being interrupted by Sandy's son.

“It's very awkward doing those scenes,” he laughs. “In that scene I have to fall off this couch and kept scraping my chest, so by the

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end of the day I had this rash on it. It was very ‘not sexy’.

Another scene that creates a big laugh happens when Aram takes Sandy on a date to see his best friend's amateur dramatic showcase, which turns out to consist of 46 theatrical scenes – with no interval.

“What's funny is that it seems like such a comedy scene but acting workshops really are like that,” he says. “I've been to tons of them.”

THE REBOUND 
Certificate 15



WATCHING THE DETECTIVE: Benedict Cumberbatch and Martin Freeman



YOUR TV REVIEW

SHERLOCK: BBC One, 9pm, Sunday **FIFTH GEAR:** Five, 7.30pm, Thursday

WITH autumn approaching, the schedules will soon be full of new shows hoping to grab your attention for the remainder of the year.

Sherlock is the BBC's highest-profile effort.

Whether or not the decision to bring *Sherlock Holmes* back was based on the success of the recent film is not something I can enlighten you on, but it's an interesting point.

Curiosity in the character has no doubt been revived due to Guy Ritchie's film adaptation, but rather than set this in days past it has been dragged kicking and screaming into the present day.

Holmes is now a man who surfs the net and has Dr Watson on speed-dial.

There's a fantastic iPhone application that lets you download a whole collection of the Sir Arthur Conan

■ BY TOM BETTS

Doyle-penned *Holmes* books for free, so I took a look earlier this year.

Holmes is really not the straight-laced deer-stalker-wearing square he is often played as.

In fact he is a much spikier pedant than you would think, so choosing the angular Benedict Cumberbatch as the man to play the super-sleuth could turn out to be a good move.

Meanwhile, Martin Freeman steps into faithful companion Dr Watson's shoes.

Brought to you by two of the men behind the *Doctor Who* revival, expect this to be the next big thing, or to sink without a trace.

AS *Top Gear* grows ever more fanciful and has less to do with motoring

with each passing episode, the driver who is actually interested in cars would be forgiven for switching to *Fifth Gear* instead.

This is not the new kid on the block, and has actually been around since 2002, but adheres more to the style of old *Top Gear*, rather than the re-launched ego fest of Clarkson, May and Hammond.

This show actually road tests cars the average man may actually one day have a chance of driving, and touches more on the issues that concern your average motorist.

It is probably not as funny or entertaining as *Top Gear*, but copying the old format of its rival (old *TG* presenters Tiff Needell and Vicky Butler-Henderson are employed here), which looked like a dumb move in the early days, has actually turned out to be its biggest strength.

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yourmusic

Home-grown acts create a great day



ROCK ON: Coronal were one of many great acts at Create Music Festival

■ BY DOMINIC GREENWOOD

OFFERING everything from cheesy covers to crashing guitars, Create Music Festival kept thousands entertained in Ashford's Victoria Park on Sunday.

With an incredible 11,000 people through the gate, Create has become the county's leading free festival, a feat made all the more impressive by the fact that nearly every band on the line-up was home-grown.

The festival boasted extra stages this year with an acoustic tent, a dance tent and the Right Track Music stage for younger bands.

For the first time it also offered a bar, and as the threatened rain held off many enjoyed a cold beer in the sun in front of the main stage.

Many of Kent's best-known acts made an appearance, many of which have already enjoyed a busy festival season.

Luke Jackson, a singer-songwriter whose talents belie his years, and 'unhinged' folk act Los Salvadores have both already played sets at Canterbury's Lounge on the Farm, and both put in a spirited performance at Create on the acoustic and main stage respectively.

Other highlights included Ashford metal band Coronal, whose charismatic frontman succeeded in firing up the crowd throughout the band's brutal half-hour set.

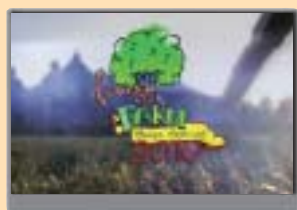
Many acts peppered their sets with covers, which was appreciated by those looking for a hint of familiarity.

Five Floors Up were particularly good in this respect, and headliners Green Date, a convincing Green Day tribute band, rounded off the event with an effective trawl through the Californian three-piece's back catalogue.

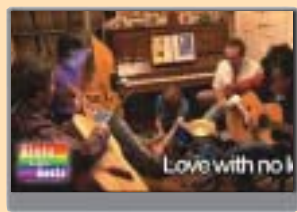
Organiser Chris Dixon from Ashford council said: "Create 2010 has been phenomenal, and no doubt the best yet. It is amazing what can be achieved when local talent, audiences, event

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MUSIC FESTIVAL: A montage from this year's Lounge on the Farm



BAND PRACTICE: Zinta Egle and her band play Love With No Love



TOP FIVE KENT GIGS

- 1 Craig Sheridan - Times Change (from Deal)
- 2 Shelta - We Can Make It (from Bexley)
- 3 Ron Bowdery - The Return of Alfred E (from New Eltham)
- 4 Cristlefridge - Unbreakable (from Whitstable)
- 5 Stereotype - Invaders Must Die (from Deal)

organisers, local businesses and local sponsors all work together to deliver something as positive as this for our community - Ashford can be very proud of itself this week.

"After every Create, you always feel so exhausted you can never think of running another, but after seeing so many smiling faces and families getting together today I can safely say Create will be back for July 2011."



HIGH OLD TIME: Kitzbühel in the Austrian Tyrolean has an adventurous side away from its more well-known skiing and snowboarding activities

yourgetaways

Adventurous pursuits on offer in the Austrian Tyrol

■ BY RICHARD JONES

WHILE glitzy Kitzbühel's infrastructure is perfectly prepared for the deluge of skiers and snowboarders, there is a very different feel to the area come summer.

When the hedonism and intensity of the ski season has melted away, visitors relish the gorgeous scenery and, even better, try the variety of adventurous pursuits on offer in the area.

I began my four-day break on the Saturday evening, and checked into what would be my base for the trip - the four-star Hotel Jägerwirt, run by the same family for four generations.

The first dinner for our 10-strong group was a hearty combination of lamb, potato gratin and spinach, before a nightcap at Flannigan's, the local Irish bar.

Next morning, the minibus whisked us off to the Mountain High centre in Kirchdorf - to be measured for wetsuits, life jackets and helmets for our first activity - the family rafting.

Our time in the 12ft x 6ft raft was great fun, and the highlight was jumping out of the vessel to float down through the rapids on our backs, before climbing out and jumping from a cliff face into a plunge pool.

The rafting course took us into a part of Germany for a short while, through the wildly romantic Klobenstein Canyon, until the minibus came to collect our equipment and return us back to Mountain High.

After lunch, we took the five-minute walk from the hotel to the Mountain Edge bike centre.

Our guide Rob provided helmets, gloves and bikes, before leading us

FACT FILE: AUSTRIA

Time difference	+Two hours (GMT)
Capital	Vienna
Language	German
Population	8,350,000
Currency	Euro
Climate	Temperate

Richard Jones was a guest of Crystal Lakes & Mountains, which offers seven nights' half-board at Hotel Jägerwirt in Kitzbühel from £639. Thomson Lakes has an Austrian Adventure package based on the Mountain High Adventure Centre, Kirchdorf, from £645, including flights ex-Gatwick, transfers, and seven nights' half-board accommodation.



on a specially tailored ride to the lake at Schwarzsee, a haven for local holidaymakers on this particular weekend - a Tyrolean bank holiday with the sun shining.

There was an Italian buffet at the Jägerwirt on Sunday night, while Monday morning promised our third activity of the week - canyoning. This was not for the faint-hearted, and four of our group backed out when peering over the edge of the gorge.

But those of us who stuck with it were rewarded with an hour of sheer excitement involving slithering down rockslides carved into the rock, jumping into frothing plunge pools, hanging from cliff faces, and floating down through ice-cold water on our backs until we reached the rest of our party at the base.

After the adrenaline rush of the morning, it was time for a gentle

three-hour walk through farms, forests and flowery meadows and up to a waterfall on the south side of the Kitzbüheler Horn, which offered us excellent views across the town.

After a dinner of Wiener Schnitzel, a few of us embarked on a night out in Kitz, stumbling from the town's main nightspot, The Londoner bar - jam-packed to the rafters during ski season - in the early hours.

There were sore heads next day as we tried Canadian canoeing. Though the canoes were safe and stable, steering them proved difficult and we had countless collisions with the rocky banks and capsizes galore.

While we were on the river, the under-14s on our trip had a swim and splash around in a nearby lake.

The farmers' buffet at the Jägerwirt was the perfect way to round off our week in Austria.

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156, JTD 16v Multijet Lusso, 2005, metallic stromboli grey, 39450 miles, £5562, Ramsgate, 0844 856 4494 (TRADE)

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JAZZ, EX, 2009, abs brakes alloy wheels central locking climate control cruise control electric windows front fog lights metallic paintsingle cd player remote central locking auto headlights and wipers, red, 6905 miles, £11000, Tunbridge Wells, 08448 759297 (TRADE)

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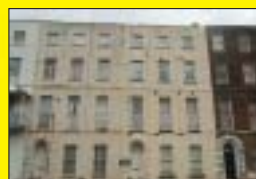
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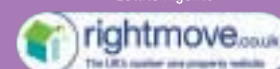
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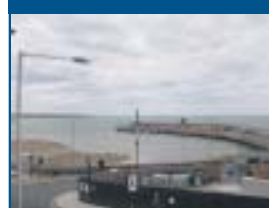
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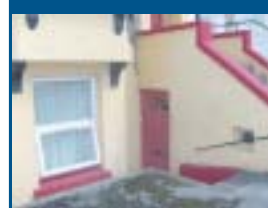
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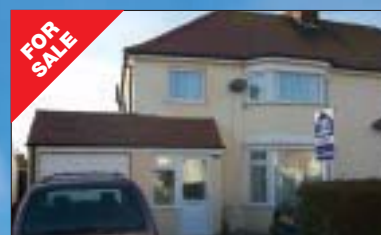
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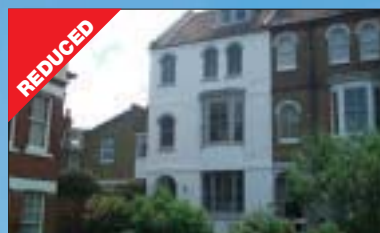
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Ramsgate £139,995

TWO BEDROOM LINK HOUSE WITH A GARAGE AND OFF STREET PARKING!

This fantastic property is ideally situated in one Ramsgate's most popular residential areas. The generous size accommodation of this home comprises two double bedrooms with an en-suite shower room to the master, lounge / diner, fitted kitchen, well appointed bathroom and a garage with additional off street parking.



Broadstairs £700,000

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An exceptional 1950's detached residence located towards the seafront end of the highly regarded Kingsgate Avenue. This home comprises four double bedrooms, two bathrooms and 5-6 reception rooms, a bespoke kitchen, utility room, cloakroom and so much more. Also offered with full planning consent to extend further, do not miss this opportunity.



Ramsgate £399,000

PERIOD CHARM WITH A CONTEMPORARY TWIST

A Victorian house located in a most desirable location across from Vale Square in Ramsgate. On the ground floor there is a 30' principle reception room, study and bedroom five with a large kitchen / diner on the lower ground floor. The first floor has two double bedrooms and two bathrooms plus there are two further bedrooms on the second floor. Outside there is a rear garden with an urban feel.



Broadstairs £129,000

IDEAL FIRST HOME OR INVESTMENT

This two bedroom cottage is situated within just a few minutes to the shops and amenities in St Peters Village. This house comprises two double bedrooms on the first floor, a spacious lounge / diner, kitchen, bathroom and separate w/c on the ground floor. There is a good sized garden to the rear and the property is being offered with vacant possession.



Broadstairs £430,000

VERSATILITY AND STYLE

This detached bungalow is situated in one of Kingsgate's most sought after locations - tucked away in the corner of the avenue. With spacious and versatile accommodation all on one level, this bungalow comprises four bedrooms, two bathrooms, large principal reception room, two bathrooms, spacious kitchen / diner, very attractive gardens, a garage and driveway.



Westgate-on-Sea £110,000

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EXECUTIVE FAMILY HOME WITH AN ANNEXE

This substantial property boast five double bedrooms, four reception rooms, three bathrooms, family kitchen/diner, principle lounge, downstairs wc, 120' X 130' rear gardens, a detached double garage, plus a two bedroom self contained annexe with lounge, kitchen and bathroom. There is also planning consent for a further two storey extension with a balcony.



Birchington £229,000

LOACED WITHIN HALF A MILE OF THE BEACH AND LOCAL SHOPS!

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Westbrook £550,000

DELIGHTFULL SEAFRONT LOCATION!

This house boasts fantastic direct sea views and is presented in immaculate condition. The accommodation comprises a 26' lounge, dinning room, kitchen / breakfast room, conservatory, office, utility room, downstairs WC, four double bedrooms, dressing room / nursery, family bathroom, en-suite shower room to master, 60' rear garden and plenty of off road parking to the front.



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Kent League Division Two

Broadstairs 1st XI v Tenterden 1st XI

TENTERDEN won the battle of the top two in Division Two on the penultimate ball of the game, thanks to another match-winning performance from the side's overseas all-rounder Timir Chanda.

Broadstairs have slipped to second and are now six points above the division's new leaders after Chanda proved the difference with both bat and ball.

The home side struggled when asked to bat first, losing wickets at regular intervals.

Alex Hogben anchored the innings with 40, while Scott Narraway ensured Broadstairs registered a score in excess of 200 with an unbeaten knock of 62.

Chanda was the star performer with the ball, claiming figures of 4 for 37, while Scott Freeman took 3 for 40 in Broadstairs' 204 for 9.

After losing Andrew Crawford early on, Tim Curteis (59) and Chanda put on 105 for the second wicket to firmly put the visitors in the driving seat.

After Curteis departed, Chris Kidd then picked up the wickets of Daniel McDonald and Ben Daking, but Chanda held firm to register an unbeaten 93 to steer Tenterden home by six wickets.

Broadstairs drop to second after losing top of table clash



SLIP UP: Broadstairs celebrate a wicket but the cheer didn't last long as defeat to their nearest rivals sees them drop to second place

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Broadstairs 1st XI

	Runs
Michael Ross ct Curteis b Chanda	28
Alamgir Sheriyyar ct McDonald b Chanda	40
Alex Hogben ct Rand b Freeman	10
David Cooper b Crawford	10
Neil Brennan lbw b Crawford	4
Scott Narraway not out	62
Chris Kidd ct McDonald b Freeman	38
Brian Simpson lbw b Freeman	0
Liam Narraway c&b Chanda	10
Ashley Ellison ct Crawford b Chanda	0
Johar Ashsaqre did not bat	

Extras (5lb 7nb) 12
Total (9 wickets, 50 overs) 204

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
James Rand		3	0	26	0
Timir Chanda		15	6	37	4
Scott Freeman		13	2	50	3
Andrew Crawford		8	1	40	2
Mark Baker		9	3	33	0
Theodore Allport		2	0	13	0

Tenterden 1st XI

	Runs
Tim Curteis b Ross	59
Andrew Crawford ct Simpson b Narraway	11
Timir Chanda not out	93
Daniel McDonald ct Simpson b Kidd	10
Ben Daking b Kidd	12
Scott Freeman not out	4
Theodore Allport did not bat	
James Rand did not bat	
Jack Massey did not bat	
James Curteis did not bat	
Mark Baker did not bat	

Extras (8lb 8w) 16
Total (4 wickets, 49.5 overs) 205

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Alamgir Sheriyyar		15	3	66	0
Liam Narraway		11	3	33	1
Michael Ross		10	4	36	1
Chris Kidd		13.5	2	62	2

LOCAL CRICKET ROUND-UP

KENT LEAGUE DIVISION ONE

Whitstable 1st XI v Sandwich Town 1st XI

SANDWICH Town moved into the top two with a comfortable seven-wicket victory which damaged Whitstable's hopes of promotion.

Whitstable could only make 199 from their 50 overs and relied heavily on a century partnership between Sam Denly (74) and James Loader (65).

Max Campbell boosted the chances of a home victory by taking two early wickets, but Sandwich quickly seized control. Craig Snell (51) laid the platform before Vishal Singh (74) and Oliver Robinson (54 from 28 balls) finished the job with plenty of wickets and overs in hand.

Whitstable 1st XI

	Runs
Max Campbell lbw b Spanton	1
Seth Simmons b Spanton	2
Sam Denly ct van Poppel b Spanton	74
David Draper st Lawrence b Amos	17
James Loader run out	65
Amadou Ainscough b Amos	2
James Mills st Lawrence b van Poppel	15
Michael Seager not out	1
Jack Crouch did not bat	
Josh Gould did not bat	
Duncan Hardy did not bat	

Extras (8lb 5lb 9w) 22
Total (7 wickets, 50 overs) 199

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Craig Spanton		13	0	56	3
Tom Chapman		7	3	21	0
Matthew van Poppel		15	1	61	1
Alan Amos		15	2	48	2

Sandwich Town 1st XI

	Runs
Craig Snell ct Draper b Crouch	51
David Scoggins ct Draper b Campbell	13
Robert Goatham ct Denly b Campbell	4
Vishal Singh not out	74
Oliver Robinson not out	54
Matthew van Poppel did not bat	
Alan Amos did not bat	
Craig Spanton did not bat	
Gavin Lawrence did not bat	
Stuart Smith did not bat	
Tom Chapman did not bat	

Extras (2lb 2w) 4
Total (3 wickets, 31 overs) 200

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
James Mills		6	0	47	0
Max Campbell		8	0	53	2
Duncan Hardy		5	0	25	0
Josh Gould		7	0	42	0
Jack Crouch		4	0	31	1

KENT REGIONAL LEAGUE PREMIER

Tunbridge Wells 3rd XI v Westgate-on-Sea 1st XI

WESTGATE-ON-SEA were beaten by 76 runs at Tunbridge Wells on Saturday. The home side scored 268 for 7 in their innings, with Westgate's Chris Flint (3 for 59) the pick of the visitors' attack at The Nevill.

Flint was also the star man with the bat, anchoring the innings with a patient 65 as wickets tumbled around him.

Marcus Taylor and Ross Heathcote put on 64 for the seventh wicket, but it proved in vain as Westgate were bowled out for 192.

Tunbridge Wells 3rd XI

	Runs
Jamie Baldwin b Flint	14
Greg Brunger ct Heathcote b Holter	40
Nigel Keess c&b Holden	13
James Sharp b Flint	73
Tom Williams b Winch	52
Sam Watts ct Heathcote b Flint	7
Liam Flint b Heathcote	8
Marc Newbould not out	12
Mark Thompson not out	20
Dominic Trett did not bat	
David Green did not bat	

Extras (3lb 11lb 11w 4nb) 29
Total (7 wickets, 46 overs) 268

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Chris Flint		12	1	59	3
Ross Heathcote		12	3	42	1
Brian Andrews		4	0	29	0
Keith Holden		7	2	28	1
Antony Holter		4	0	30	1
Lewis Winch		7	0	66	1

Westgate-On-Sea 1st XI

	Runs
Chris Flint b Green	65
Lewis Winch b Trett	1
Alan Winch b Trett	0
Keith Sandwell run out	1
Richie Holden ct Sharp b Thompson	0
Brian Andrews b Thompson	0
Marcus Taylor b Trett	39
Ross Heathcote ct Thompson b Green	33
Antony Holter ct Thompson b Green	2
Freddie Day-Shields ct Flint b Keess	27
Nathan Presley not out	4

Extras (8lb 2lb 7w 3nb) 20
Total (all out, 45.2 overs) 192

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Dominic Trett		12	3	41	3
Mark Thompson		12	1	51	2
David Green		12	4	41	3
Liam Flint		7	0	35	0
Nigel Keess		1.2	0	13	1
Tom Williams		1	0	1	0

KENT REGIONAL LEAGUE 1B EAST

Hythe 3rd XI v Margate 1st XI

IAN Robinson's valiant 75 proved in vain as Margate were narrowly beaten by 13 runs at Hythe.

After reducing the home side to just 166 for 7, thanks largely to Kashif Anwer's 3 for 43, Margate would have been confident of chasing the total down, but Tom Homewood's 4 for 30 tore the heart out of the batting line-up.

Robinson's knock was the only meaningful innings for Margate as they were bowled out for 153 in the final over.

Hythe 3rd XI

	Runs
Roger Mapstone b Anwer	8
Ben Goff b Anwer	27
Tom Homewood ct Brooks b Anwer	13
Oliver Morgan b Kirk	58
Alex Bill st Winch b Robinson	9
Vanit Shah ct Williamson b Canham	6
Edward Kirby run out	7
Steve Davies ct Winch b Kirk	4
Jo Shields not out	9
David Stefford did not bat	
Paul Brook did not bat	

Extras (10lb 6lb 9w) 25
Total (7 wickets, 46 overs) 166

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Jamie Dewell		10	2	31	0
Kashif Anwer		12	2	43	3
Neil Canham		12	3	24	1
Ian Robinson		8	1	40	1
Brett Kirk		4	1	14	2

Margate 1st XI

	Runs
Sam Winch b Morgan	2
Neil Canham ct Goff b Homewood	11
Romesh Tenuwera ct Morgan b Homewood	4
Josh Williamson ct Goff b Homewood	1
Ian Robinson ct Shields b Kirby	75
Kashif Anwer ct Morgan b Homewood	6
Brett Kirk lbw b Bill	3
Harry Brooks b Bill	0
Rob Fields ct Homewood b Kirby	9
Jamie Dewell b Edward Kirby	10
Amy Richford not out	0

Extras (9lb 4lb 19w) 32
Total (all out, 45.3 overs) 153

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Oliver Morgan		12	1	33	1
Tom Homewood		12	2	30	4
Alex Bill		8	3	14	2
Edward Kirby		10.3	0	46	3
Paul Brook		2	0	17	0

KENT REGIONAL LEAGUE 1B EAST

St Margaret's 1st XI v Westbrook 1st XI

ST Margaret's put in a solid all-round display to see off Westbrook by eight wickets.

Ritchie Hulks and Ashley Birchenough shared six wickets between them in restricting Westbrook to 157 for 9 from their 46 overs, and the home side made light work of chasing that total down.

Aaron Powell led the way with a blistering unbeaten 67 and was helped with 30 from Lloyd King, as St Margaret's won with a full 17 overs to spare.

Westbrook 1st XI

	Runs
Danny Gribbin ct Kember b Ritchie Hulks	0
Mark Fox b Towers	37
Tom Hammond b Ritchie Hulks	4
Kris Hubert ct Powell b Ritchie Hulks	0
David Gentry ct King b Birchenough	54
Dave Hards ct Ryan Hulks b Birchenough	15
Lee Pilcher lbw b Bowley	1
Dave Cygan ct Kennett b Birchenough	0
Frank Wrench run out	13
Josh Williamson not out	11
Gareth Anstice not out	1

Extras (7lb 8lb 6w) 21
Total (9 wickets, 46 overs) 157

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Ritchie Hulks		12	1	34	3
Daniel Kennett		6	0	24	0
Matty Towers		8	2	38	1
Peter Bowley		11	2	20	1
Ashley Birchenough		9	1	37	3

St Margaret's 1st XI

	Runs
Paul Jamieson b Pilcher	12
Aaron Powell not out	67
Lloyd King b Wrench	30
Ritchie Hulks not out	15
Matty Towers did not bat	
Ashley Birchenough did not bat	
Toby Kember did not bat	
Daniel Kennett did not bat	
Dale King did not bat	
Peter Bowley did not bat	
Ryan Hulks did not bat	

Extras (12lb 1lb 20w 1nb) 34
Total (2 wickets, 29 overs) 158

Bowlers		O	M	R	W
Lee Pilcher		6	0	25	1
Kris Hubert		8	1	27	0
Josh Williamson		3	0	36	0
Frank Wrench		8	1	33	1
Dave Hards		2	0	9	0
Gareth Anstice		2	0	14	0

Marsden signing last of Blues' pre-season buys?

FOOTBALL

BY GLENN PEARSON

MARGATE manager Iain O'Connell will run the rule over midfielder Darren Marsden this week to see if he is the final piece in his jigsaw ahead of the new Ryman Premier season.

The Blues boss has been after another midfielder to provide more competition in the centre of the park and Marsden could be the man to fill that position.

Marsden watched from the sidelines as Gate began their pre-season preparations with a comfortable 2-0 win at Faversham Town on Saturday, before having his first run out in a Blues shirt in the friendly with Sittingbourne last night.

The midfielder has been plying his trade in the Kent League with Herne Bay for the last two seasons, but left at the end of the season to trial at Conference side Welling United.

That proved unsuccessful and will therefore this week try to impress O'Connell, who is looking for just one more player to complete his squad.

He said: "I need another midfield player and we'll see Darren Marsden this week. I'm really pleased with the squad, it's basically a new side.

"Craig Cloke and Laurence Ball were the two I really wanted to sign and I'm really glad



NEW BLUES: Darren Marsden playing for Herne Bay and Craig Cloke in action for Margate at the weekend

they agreed to join us. They're good lads, in fact the whole squad are great lads and that's one thing I learned from Chris Kinnear; you always want to sign great players, but it's important to have good team spirit.

"It was probably lack of team spirit I noticed when I came in, but that's always going to happen when you are down the bottom of the league and you are going to lack a bit. Hopefully this season we will be able to drive on and do better."

Jean-Michael Sigere scored the opener on 53 minutes at the weekend, before triallist Alex Waugh showed good composure to net in the final minute. O'Connell was pleased with what he saw from Waugh and the other trial-



lists on show and said they will all get a chance to force their way into his squad for the start of the season.

"Alex has worked really hard in training and has scored a lot of goals," he said. "It wasn't going particularly great for him when he came on, but that's the type of thing he does in training, scoring that goal. I think he scored something like 60 goals for his Sunday League side but has never played at this level. To score that many goals at any level must mean you are half decent, and I was really pleased for him when he scored.

"We have another seven games to come before the season starts, so we'll have a look at all of them."

CRICKET



SHOULDER: Robbie Joseph is out for a couple of weeks

New injury setback for unlucky Joseph

KENT fast bowler Robbie Joseph has suffered a recurrence of his shoulder strain and looks set to be out for another couple of weeks.

The Antiguan-born quick bowler was out for a whole year after surgery on a dislocated shoulder but made his comeback in the championship game against Hampshire at the Rose Bowl earlier this month. He followed that up with an appearance in the Friends Provident t20 defeat to Essex at the Brit Oval two weeks ago, but hasn't played since.

Head coach Paul Farbrace said Joseph is unlikely to play in this week's LV= County Championship game against Essex at Canterbury as he waits to hear from club physio Nimmo Reid about when the 28-year-old will be available again.

"Robbie's had a recurrence of shoulder soreness so has gone back to Canterbury for treatment and we'll decide what is the best step from there," Farbrace explained.

"He has a chance of playing in the championship game against Essex this week, but it's probably unlikely, we'll have to see where we are next week. It's not ideal, but there's not a lot we can do really.

"We were promised he would be ready for the start of the season and for the first game and obviously he wasn't. It's been a long, slow process and it's tough for everyone concerned, but we have to just get on with it."

Thursday's visit of Essex to the St Lawrence Ground in Canterbury could see the return of skipper Rob Key, who has been out of action for the last three weeks with a broken finger. In his absence the side, led by Martin van Jaarsveld, won their final three t20 games before drawing the championship game at Somerset last week.

That run of unbeaten games came to an end on Sunday when Joe Denly's unbeaten century proved in vain as the Kent Spitfires lost their latest Clydesdale Bank 40 game with Hampshire Royals by two runs.



TEAM PLAYER: Max Orrin was in good form in Hungary

Orrin shines for England

GOLF

MAX Orrin helped England finish joint third in the team standings at the European Young Masters in Hungary last weekend.

The 16-year-old, who plays at North Foreland Golf Club in Broadstairs, also claimed a share off 11th place in the individual standings at the Royal Balaton Golf & Yacht Club.

Orrin went into the tournament in good form after finishing runner-up in the McGregor Trophy at Prince's in Sandwich this month.

As part of a four-strong under-16 team, Orrin made a steady start in last Thursday's opening round with a three-over-par 75.

The Chatham House schoolboy then played himself into individual contention with a superb three-under-par 69 in the second round, which moved him up to third place overall.

He began the final round four shots behind the leaders but like the rest of the field, struggled in windy conditions. A disappointing 85 saw Orrin tumble down the standings, finishing on 229 for the three rounds.

Finnish golfer Albert Eckhardt won the title on 219, while Orrin's team-mate Matthew Fitzpatrick finished tied fourth. Orrin had the consolation of helping England to third, which they shared with France.



DOUBLING UP: Ramsgate step up their pre-season against the likes of Billericay and Ebbsfleet this weekend

Two games for price of one as Rams step up pre-season

FOOTBALL

RAMSGATE begin their pre-season programme at Southwood this weekend by offering supporters a chance to watch two games for the price of one.

Jim Ward's side take on Billericay Town on Friday night before fellow Kent side Ebbsfleet United arrive at Southwood the following day.

Supporters who attend the game on Friday (kick-off is at 7.45pm) will be able to re-use their tickets, which will be valid for the Ebbsfleet clash at 3pm on Saturday.

The club are also hosting a real ale festival

over the course of the weekend as a treat for Rams fans. On the field, Ramsgate got their pre-season under way on Saturday with a 1-1 draw at Great Yarmouth Town.

Traffic problems on the A11 extended the squad's journey to more than five hours, leaving them very little time to warm-up before kick-off. With six new faces in the squad, an even first-half saw the sides go in level at half-time.

The Bloaters opened the scoring in the 58th minute when Craig Roberts' flick-on header evaded triallist goalkeeper Conor Quinn, but the Rams equalised in the 88th minute when Joe Taylor headed in Warren Schulz's cross to make the final score 1-1.

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